



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 3723

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In Re Application of: Remo CORGHI
Application No.: 10/686,368
Filed: November 11, 2003
For: IMPROVED SELF-CENTERING UNIT

Conf. No. 1164

Art Unit: 3728
Examiner: Hadl SHAKERI
Washington, D.C.
Asst. Director: CORGHI-17
Date: October 28, 2005

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Sir: In the above-identified application.

Transmitted herewith is a ☐ Amendment ☒ REPLY AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

☐ Small Entry Status: Applicant(s) claim small entry status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

☒ No additional fee is required.

☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA EQUALS
TOTAL	15	MINUS	20	0
INDEP.	1	MINUS	3	0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 25	\$
x 100	\$
x 180	\$
ADDITIONAL FEE TOTAL	

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 50	\$
x 200	\$
x 860	\$
TOTAL	

- * If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
 - ** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
 - *** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.
- The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (total or independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time
If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

☐ It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

Small Entry
Response Filed Within
☐ First - \$ 60.00
☐ Second - \$ 225.00
☐ Third - \$ 510.00
☐ Fourth - \$ 795.00
Month After Time Period Set

Other Than Small Entry
Response Filed Within
☐ First - \$ 120.00
☐ Second - \$ 450.00
☐ Third - \$ 1020.00
☐ Fourth - \$ 1590.00
Month After Time Period Set

☐ Less fees (\$) already paid for month(s) extension of time on

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. C2-4028 in the amount of \$
- ☐ Credit Card Payment Form, PTO-2036, is attached, authorizing payment in the amount of \$
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ is attached (check no.).

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. C2-4028. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of Time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the prosecution of extra claims under 37 CFR §1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR §1.18.

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)	<u>AFTER FINAL</u>

REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

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Sir:

Replying to the Office Action mailed August 4, 2005,
please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of
this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the
listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.